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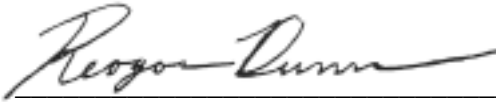
Dear Executive Sims,

Thank you for your attention to the newest revelations about errors in tabulating ballots in the King County Elections Office. We understand that you are supporting Elections Director Dean Logan's efforts to investigate and correct these additional mistakes, and we expect you, as the county's administrator, to provide the leadership needed to reform our elections process and prevent these problems in the future.

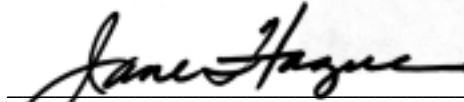
Because the string of elections errors continues to grow, we request that you appear before the Council as soon as possible to explain your confidence in Mr. Logan's ability to reform the Elections office and rebuild the public's trust in the integrity of the elections process. The April 11, 2005, COW meeting would be the first and best opportunity for this to occur.

We appreciate your concerted attention to this critical issue that must be resolved as soon as possible in the most open and forthright manner.

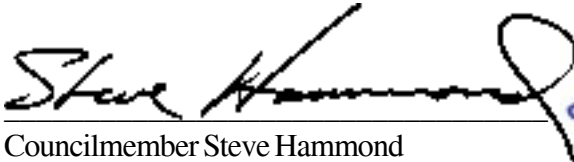
Sincerely,



Councilmember Reagan Dunn
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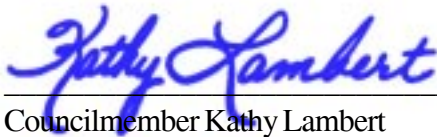
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